



# INTERREG TERRITORIAL COOPERATION PROGRAMME (Madeira-Azores-Canary Islands) MAC 2021–2027

Presentation of the 3rd call for projects

*4 November 2025 ONLINE*



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**MAC**

**THE INTERREG MAC PROGRAMME 2021-2027**

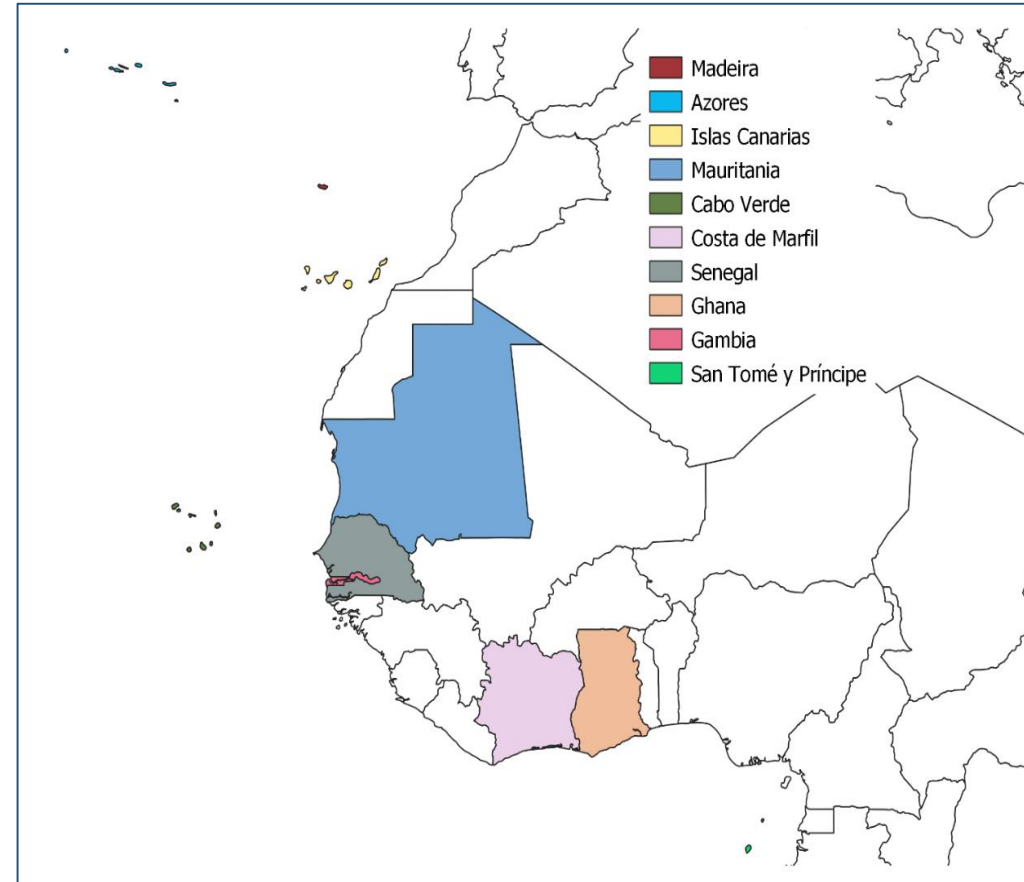
**RULES OF THE CALL FOR PROPOSALS**

**FINANCIAL CIRCUIT AND ELIGIBILITY OF EXPENSES**

**APPLICATION FORM**

## MAIN CHANGES FROM THE PREVIOUS 2014-2020 PROGRAMME

- **NEW TERRITORIAL COOPERATION COMPONENT**  
**TERRITORIAL COOPERATION COMPONENT**  
**"OUTERMOST REGIONS"**  
(Regulation 2021/1059)  
*Main instrument for regional integration of the ORs*
- **A BROADER GEOGRAPHICAL AREA**  
Cape Verde, Mauritania and Senegal  
+  
*Ivory Coast, Gambia, Ghana and Sao Tome and Principe*
- **INCREASE IN THE PROGRAMME'S FINANCIAL STATEMENT**  
*Approx. 35% increase*
- **IVDCI FUND CONTRIBUTION TO THE PROGRAMME MAC**  
(Regulation 2021/947)
- **COMPANIES MAY BE BENEFICIARIES**  
(with limitations)



## PRIORITIES

1

**MAC  
Inteligente**

Mejorar la competitividad de las empresas a través de una transformación económica innovadora e inteligente



2

**MAC  
Verde**

Transición ecológica, apoyo al desarrollo de una economía verde y azul, lucha contra el cambio climático, prevención y gestión de riesgos y catástrofes



3

**MAC  
Gobernanza**

Mejora de la gobernanza de la cooperación



4

**MAC  
Movilidad**

Gestión de la movilidad y la migración



Approved by the European Commission on 21 September 2022 and amended on 14 July 2025 to include the allocation of funds from the Neighbourhood, Development and International Cooperation Instrument (NDICI) to the Programme.

## FINANCIAL PLAN

Political Objective	Priority		ERDF *			National contribution	TOTAL
			For projects	For TA	Total ERDF		
OP1	1	Smart MAC	65,781,333	6,578,133	72,359,466	12,769,319	85,128,785
OP2	2	Green MAC	67,781,333	6,778,130	74,559,463	13,157,554	87,717,017
OEI 1	3	MAC Governance	13,168,000	1,316,800	14,484,800	2,556,141	17,040,941
OEI 2	4	MAC Mobility	7,722,668	772,266	8,494,934	1,499,106	9,994,040
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>154,453,334</b>	<b>15,445,329</b>	<b>169,898,663</b>	<b>29,982,120</b>	<b>199,880,783</b>

85% co-financing from the ERDF (European Regional Development Fund)

\* Only European entities can be direct beneficiaries of ERDF aid.

## CALLS FOR PROPOSALS

1st

- **Priorities 1, 2 and 4**
  - Dates: 2 October 2023 – 30 November 2023
  - Steering Committee decision: 6 June 2024
  - Signing of contracts: 25 October 2024

2nd

- **Priority 3: capitalisation projects**
  - Phase 1: 25 November 2024 – 13 December 2024
  - Phase 2: 11 April 2025 – 19 May 2025
  - Steering Committee decision: 18 August 2025
  - Signing of contracts: 16 October 2025

3rd

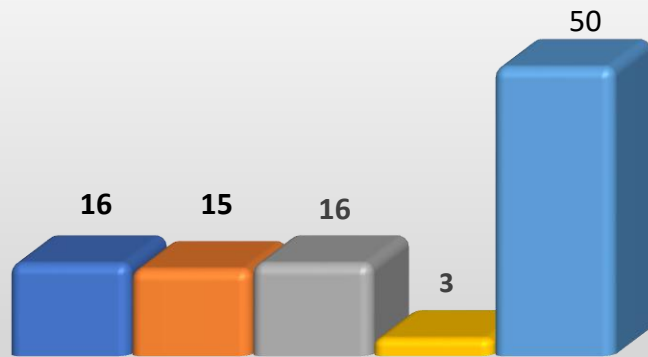
- **Priorities 1, 2 and 4**
  - Dates: 3 November 2025 – 15 December 2025



## RESULTS OF THE CALLS FOR PROPOSALS

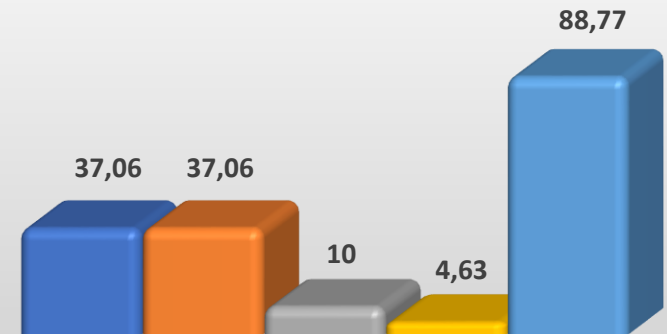
	1st CALL		2nd CALL		TOTAL	
	No. of projects approved	ERDF allocated	No. of projects approved	ERDF allocated	No. of projects approved	ERDF allocated
PRIORITY 1	16	£37,068,800			16	37,068,800
PRIORITY 2	15	37,068,800			15	37,068,800
PRIORITY 3			16	10,000,000	16	10,000,000
PRIORITY 4	3	4,633,600			3	4,633,600
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>78,771,200</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>10,000,000</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>88,771,200</b>

No. of projects approved

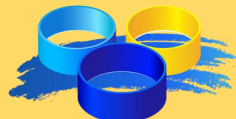


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ERDF allocated



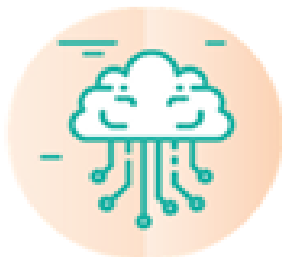
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**PURPOSE OF THE CALL: Specific priorities and objectives****PRIORIDADES**

<b>Prioridad 1</b>	<b>MAC INTELIGENTE</b>		<b>MEJORA DE LA COMPETITIVIDAD DE LAS EMPRESAS A TRAVÉS DE UNA TRANSFORMACIÓN ECONÓMICA INNOVADORA E INTELIGENTE</b>
<b>Prioridad 2</b>	<b>MAC VERDE</b>		<b>TRANSICIÓN ECOLÓGICA, APOYO AL DESARROLLO DE UNA ECONOMÍA VERDE Y AZUL, LUCHA CONTRA EL CAMBIO CLIMÁTICO, PREVENCIÓN Y GESTIÓN DE RIESGOS Y CATÁSTROFES</b>
<b>Prioridad 4</b>	<b>MAC MOVILIDAD</b>		<b>MEJORA DE LA GESTIÓN DE LA MIGRACIÓN EN ORIGEN Y DESTINO</b>

**PURPOSE OF THE CALL: Specific priorities and objectives**



**PRIORITY 1  
SMART MAC**

**IMPROVING THE COMPETITIVENESS OF BUSINESSES THROUGH  
INNOVATIVE AND SMART ECONOMIC TRANSFORMATION**

**SO 1.1** Developing and improving research and innovation capacities and the implementation of advanced technologies

**SO 1.3** Strengthening sustainable growth and competitiveness of SMEs and job creation

**PURPOSE OF THE CALL: Specific priorities and objectives**

## PRIORITY 2

**GREEN MAC**

ECOLOGICAL TRANSITION, SUPPORT FOR THE DEVELOPMENT OF  
A GREEN AND BLUE ECONOMY, COMBATING CLIMATE CHANGE,  
RISK AND DISASTER PREVENTION AND MANAGEMENT



- SO 2.1. Promotion of energy efficiency and reduction of greenhouse gas emissions
- SO 2.2. Promoting renewable energy
- SO 2.3. Promoting adaptation to climate change, disaster risk prevention and resilience
- SO 2.6. Promoting the transition to a circular and resource-efficient economy
- SO 2.7. Promoting the protection and conservation of nature, biodiversity and green infrastructure and reducing all forms of pollution

**PURPOSE OF THE CALL: Specific priorities and objectives**




**Priority 4 MAC MOBILITY  
IMPROVING MIGRATION MANAGEMENT AT  
SOURCE AND DESTINATION**



**O.E.I.2 Mobility and migration  
management**




## FINANCIAL ALLOCATION

The ERDF funding allocated to this call amounts to a maximum of **€53,259,030**.

Priority	ERDF (€)	TOTAL COST (€)
 1 Smart MAC	25,456,916	29,949,313
 2 Green MAC	24,712,535	29,073,571
 4 MAC Mobility	3,089,579	3,634,799
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>53,259,030</b>	<b>62,657,682</b>

**BUDGET LIMITS PER PROJECT**

The budget for projects must fall within the following limits:

Priority			Minimum TOTAL COST	Maximum TOTAL COST
	1	Smart MAC	€500,000	€5,000,000
	2	Green MAC	€500,000	€5,000,000
	4	MAC Mobility	€250,000	€2,000,000

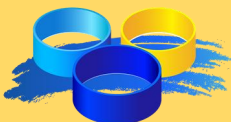
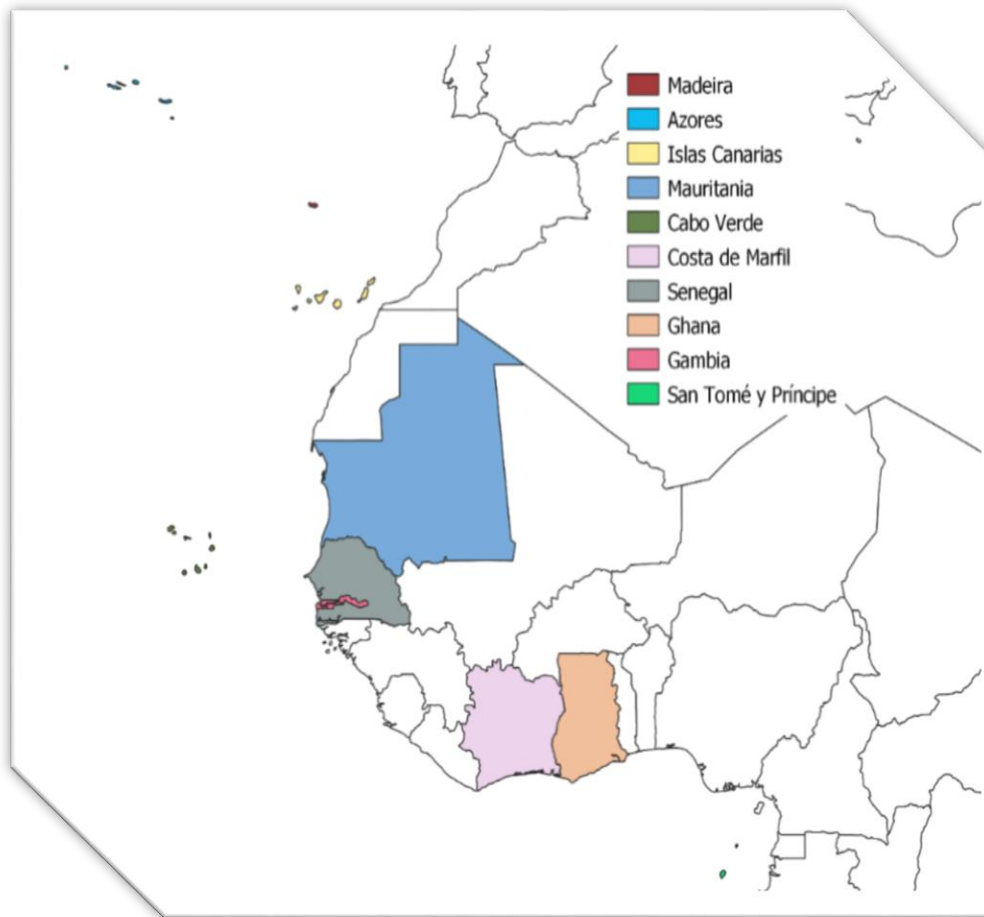
## TERRITORIAL SCOPE

### EUROPE:

Madeira  
Azores  
Canary Islands

### AFRICA:

Cape Verde  
Ivory Coast  
Gambia  
Ghana  
Mauritania  
Senegal  
Sao Tome and Principe



## TIME FRAME



**ELIGIBILITY OF EXPENDITURE**  
From: 21/10/2025  
Until: project completion date



**PROJECT DURATION**  
Maximum until 31/12/2029  
(final date of eligibility of programme expenditure)



**EXTENSION**  
Only possible until 31/12/2029

## PROJECT PARTNERS



**SOCIOS DEL PROYECTO**



MÍNIMO 1 SOCIO CON SEDE EN LAS REGIONES EUROPEAS DEL PROGRAMA + 1 SOCIO CON SEDE EN LOS TERCEROS PAÍSES SOCIOS



**SOCIO PRINCIPAL**

(Regiones europeas del programa)



SOCIOS FEDER (Regiones europeas del programa)



SOCIOS PAÍSES AFRICANOS DEL PROGRAMA



ASOCIADOS: Otros socios de dentro y fuera del espacio de cooperación

## PROJECT PARTNERS



Public administrations and public and private law entities linked to them

Universities, research centres, technological institutes and foundations

Chambers of commerce, business and professional associations, and other socio-economic organisations

Other public or private non-profit entities

Private companies (ERDF partner): Only in OE 1.1.  
Add value to the project by promoting the transfer of the results achieved to the market.



## SUBMISSION OF APPLICATIONS

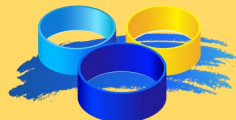
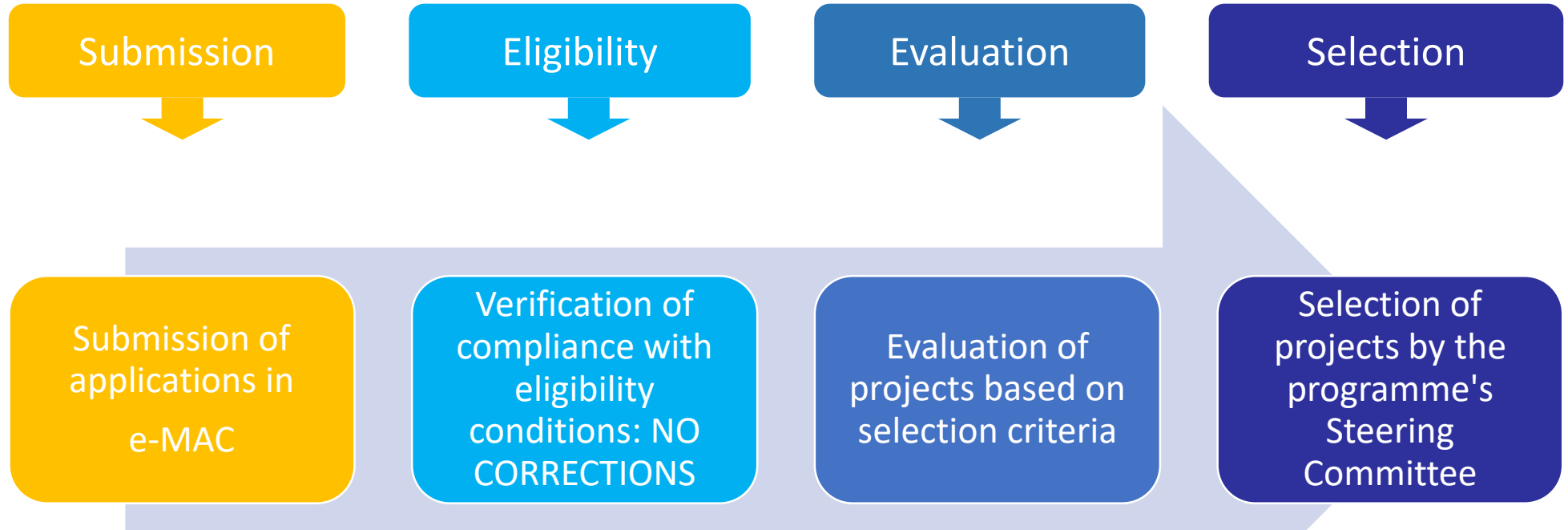
- Submission online via the programme's management tool, **e-MAC**, accessible via the programme's website: [www.interregmac.org](http://www.interregmac.org).



- Completed by the Lead Partner
- Completed in a single language (Spanish or Portuguese)

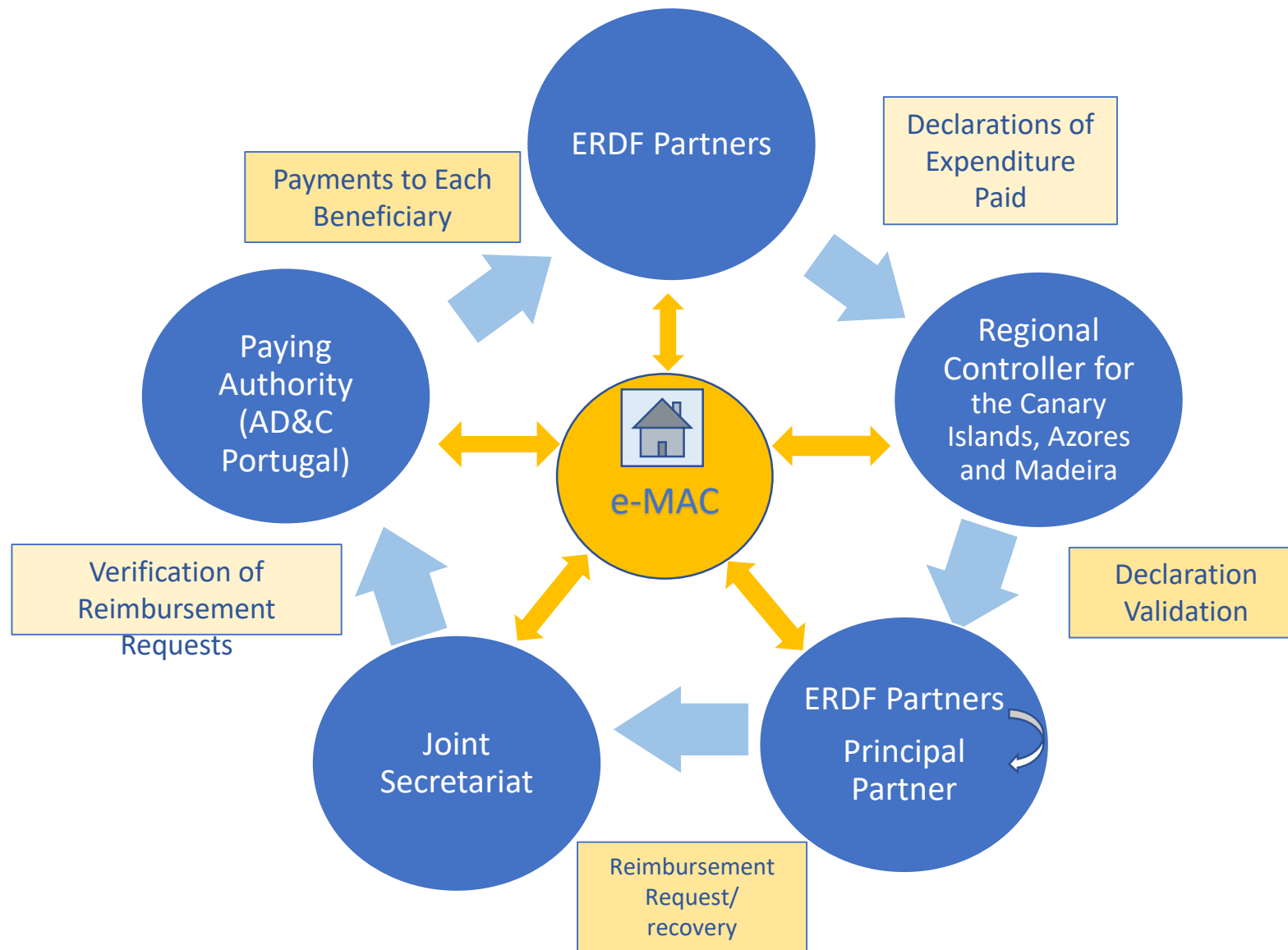
Opening date	Closing date
<b>3 November 2025</b>	<b>15 December 2025</b> (23:59 Canary Islands/Madeira time) (22:59 Azores time)

## SELECTION PROCESS



# FINANCIAL CIRCUIT

MAC



## Documentación

### Gestión financiera

[Comunicación](#)[Modificaciones de proyectos](#)[Consultas vinculantes](#)

### Gestión financiera

- Normas de subvencionabilidad de los gastos

**Fichas técnicas:**

1. Gastos de personal
  - Anexo I\_Modelo Declaración de Personal
2. Gastos de oficina y administrativos
3. Gastos de viaje y alojamiento
4. Gastos de servicios y asesoramiento externos
5. Gastos en equipo
  - Anexo I\_Registro Existencias
  - Anexo II\_Declaración Adquisición
  - Anexo III\_Ejemplo cuadro amortización
6. Gastos en infraestructura y obras
7. Gastos de visibilidad, transparencia y comunicación
8. Expedientes de contratación

- Manual de gestión financiera

- Guía para la creación de usuarios

### GENERAL CRITERIA



They must **CONTRIBUTE** to the objectives of the project and the programme



Expenses may be incurred in **ANY TERRITORY**



They must be **DIRECTLY RELATED** to the implementation of the activities approved in the project



They must be **PROVIDED FOR** in the approved application form



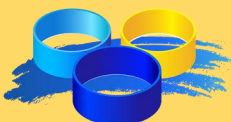
They must be **NECESSARY** for the achievement of the project's objectives



Expenses must meet the criteria of **EFFICIENCY, ECONOMY and EFFECTIVENESS.**

**GENERAL CRITERIA – EXPENSES DECLARED AT ACTUAL COST**

- **INCURRED** and effectively **PAID** within the project implementation period
- **VERIFIABLE** by documentary evidence
- Reflected in the beneficiary's **ACCOUNTING**
- Complies with applicable European and national **REGULATIONS**
- Complies with the principles of **TRANSPARENCY, PUBLICITY and FREE COMPETITION**
- Complies with **HORIZONTAL PRINCIPLES**
- Complies with the Programme's visibility, transparency and communication rules
- Must **NOT** have been **FINANCED** by other European funds



## SUBSIDISABILITY OF EXPENSES



### ELEGIBLE EXPENSES

Investments In Infrastructure	Activities for applied research and innovation	Investments in access to services	Productive investments in SMEs and for the promotion of employment	Equipment, software, intangible assets
Networks, cooperation, exchange of experiences	Information, communication, studies	Technical assistance	Sharing of facilities and human resources	VAT or equivalent tax for beneficiaries that are not private companies

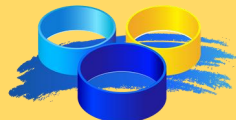




**NON-ELEGIBLE EXPENSES**

Debt interest	Specific investments under Article 7.1 of EU Regulation 2021/1058	Financial penalties and expenses incurred in legal disputes and litigation	Expenses related to currency exchange rate fluctuations	Contributions in kind
Bank charges arising from financial transactions	Other forms of aid: prizes, gifts, repayable aid and Financial instruments	Extraordinary bonuses if they are conditional on the approval or implementation of the project	Purchase of land	Hiring of external professional services and advice from employees of the beneficiary entities
Expenses for the acquisition of second-hand equipment	Common expenses (expenses paid by several partners)	Contracts between participating entities	Self-invoicing	Contracting with entities linked to the beneficiary

Canary Islands: Expenses of “encomiendas/encargos”



## TECHNICAL DATA SHEETS BY EXPENSE CATEGORY

Provides details on the eligibility of the different expenditure categories in the financial plan for projects

### CONTENTS

- ✓ Legal basis
- ✓ Definition of expenditure
- ✓ Declaration methods (simplified cost/actual cost)
- ✓ Audit trail (supporting documentation)
- ✓ Specific issues (if applicable)
- ✓ Annexes (if applicable)



## CROSS-CUTTING TECHNICAL DATA SHEETS

- Technical sheet 7: Communication expenses
- Technical sheet 8: Procurement files

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## MAC

Usuario

Contraseña

**ENTRAR**

- [Acceder al Registro de entidades](#)
- [Darme de alta como usuario \*\*Entidad\*\* para registrar una entidad](#)
- [Darme de alta como usuario \*\*Socio Principal\*\*](#)
- [He olvidado mi contraseña](#)
- [El tiempo de activación de mi cuenta ha expirado](#)

Listado de candidaturas Crear nuevo proyecto ➔

	Proyecto	Estado	Tareas	Usuarios	Situación Financiera
	3CONV3MPT -	Abierto			
	CONV3MPT - 3/MAC/2/2.1/0026	Enviado			

## Dar de alta un nuevo proyecto

## A.1 IDENTIFICACIÓN DEL PROYECTO

Título del proyecto \*

Caracteres(500)

Acrónimo del proyecto \*

(máx. 20 caracteres)

Objetivo específico del Programa \*

Prioridad del Programa \*

## Continuidad del proyecto

 ¿Este proyecto es continuidad de un proyecto anterior cofinanciado por el programa Interreg MAC?

Acrónimo

\* Datos obligatorios

## Parte A - Identificación del proyecto

- A.1 Identificación del proyecto
- A.2 Resumen del proyecto

## Parte B - Socios del Proyecto

- B.1 Socios del proyecto
- B.2 Socios asociados

## Parte C - Descripción del proyecto

- C.1 Pertinencia y contexto del proyecto
- C.2 Objetivos, resultados y actividades
- C.3 Plan de Trabajo - Actividades
- C.4 Indicadores
- C.5 Cronograma
- C.6 Gestión administrativa y financiera
- C.7 Comunicación
- C.8 Capitalización

## Plan financiero

- Plan financiero

## Check-List

- CHECK-LIST

## Usuarios

- Usuarios

## Anexos

- 1. PowerPoint resumen de presentación del proyecto

- [Plan Financiero](#)
- [Formulario proyecto](#)
- [Resumen del proyecto](#)

# APPLICATION FORM

- Parte A - Identificación del proyecto
  - A.1 Identificación del proyecto
  - A.2 Resumen del proyecto
- Parte B - Socios del Proyecto
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Socios del proyecto Registrar socio:

Número socio	Nombre completo	NIF	País/Region	
NIF o Código de entidad:				
<input type="text" value="29283052G"/>		<input type="button" value="Buscar"/>		
Listado de Entidades				
Entidad	Código de la entidad	CIF	País	Asociar
CAMARA DE COMERCIO INSULAR	29283052G/1/000	29283052G	España	

Geographical scope, contribution to broader strategies (Atlantic Strategy), contribution to EU horizontal principles, synergies with other funds/programmes, expected impact.

1 General Objective, max. 3 Specific Objectives (with expected results) and max. 3 Activities per GO.

Objetivos específico	Actividades	Productos finales previstos	Equipamiento previsto	Infraestructuras previstas	Contratación de servicios y expertos externos	Actividades previstas a financiar en terceros países
<input type="text"/>	<input type="text"/>					
	Objetivo específico 1    Actividad XXX					

# APPLICATION FORM

- Parte A - Identificación del proyecto**
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  - o C.7 Comunicación
  - o C.8 Capitalización

**i** Para cuantificar correctamente los indicadores lea atentamente la ficha de cada indicador:

- [Indicadores de realización.](#)
- [Indicadores de resultado.](#)

## Project-specific indicators of implementation, results and communication

Duración total del proyecto 0 meses  
El límite máximo de duración será hasta 31/12/2029

Objetivos específicos	Previo firma de contrato	A partir de la firma de contrato															
		Año 1		Año 2				Año 3				Año 4					
		Trimestres		Trimestres		Trimestres		Trimestres		Trimestres		Trimestres		Trimestres			
Período 0	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4	1	2	3	4			
Objetivo específico 1																	

## Coordination / Quality / Financial management

### COMUNICACIÓN DEL PROYECTO

Comunicación del proyecto    Acciones de comunicación por objetivo específico    Acciones de comunicación horizontales del proyecto

## Ownership / Sustainability / Transferability

# APPLICATION FORM



**Plan financiero**  
 Plan financiero

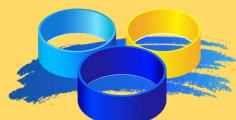
	Nombre de la entidad	Región	CT	FEDER	Aportación propia	Tasa cofinanciación	% participación
	CAMARA DE COMERCIO INSULAR	Canarias	0,00 €	0,00 €	0,00 €	85,00 %	0%

**Tipo de presupuesto \*** Trabajadores

Seleccione ▼

- Seleccione
- Tipo A: Costes 20% personal
- Tipo B: Costes unitarios de personal
- Tipo C: Plan Financiero al 40%

Categoría del gasto	Ejecución	Gestión administrativa y financiera	Comunicación del proyecto	Total
01 Gastos de personal	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	0,00 €
02 Gastos de viaje y alojamiento	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	0,00 €
03 Gastos de servicios y asesoramientos externos	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	0,00 €
04 Gastos en equipo	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	0,00 €
05 Gastos de oficina y administrativos	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	0,00 €
06 Gastos en infraestructura y obras	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	<input type="text" value="0,00"/> €	0,00 €
<b>Total</b>	<b>0,00 €</b>	<b>0,00 €</b>	<b>0,00 €</b>	<b>0,00 €</b>



## SIMPLIFIED COST OPTIONS

For each project, partners may choose from the following simplified cost options:

### A. With personnel costs at a fixed rate of 20%

Expense category	Type of aid	Simplification
External services and consultancy expenses	Actual costs	
Equipment expenses	Actual costs	
Infrastructure and construction expenses	Actual costs	
Personnel expenses	Fixed rate	20% of actual costs
Travel and accommodation expenses	Fixed rate	15% of personnel costs
Office and administrative expenses	Fixed rate	15% of personnel costs

➤ Mandatory budget rate for **private companies**


**B. With personnel costs based on unit costs**

Expenditure category	Type of aid	Simplification
External services and consultancy expenses	Actual costs	
Equipment expenses	Actual costs	
Infrastructure and construction expenses	Actual costs	
Personnel expenses	Unit costs	cost/hour x number of hours
Travel and accommodation expenses	Fixed rate	15% of personnel costs
Office and administrative expenses	Fixed rate	15% of personnel costs

- **Personnel expenses** are established based on hourly costs (set by strata according to the amounts of the common contingency bases for each worker) and the number of hours worked (<1720 hours/year), with the rest of the fixed rates being calculated based on personnel costs.

**C. With a fixed rate of 40% for costs other than personnel costs**

Expenditure category	Type of aid	Simplification
Personnel expenses	Unit costs	cost/hour x number of hours
Other project costs	Fixed rate	40% of personnel costs



- Personnel costs must always be declared using the **unit cost** system.

## BUDGET BY ACTIVITY



1. Implementation



2. Communication



3. Administrative and financial  
management



Communication expenses must be budgeted



Maximum limit of **10%** of each organisation's **budget**

The budget is not broken down by year:

Minimum implementation percentages per year will be established

## APPLICATION FORM

The screenshot shows a web interface with the following sections:

- Check-List**: Includes a sub-section for "CHECK-LIST".
- Usuarios**: Includes a sub-section for "Usuarios".
- Anexos**: Includes a sub-section for "1. PowerPoint resumen de presentación del proyecto".
- Attachments**: A list of files with checkboxes:
  - Plan Financiero
  - Formulario proyecto
  - Resumen del proyecto
- Buttons**: Two buttons at the bottom, "VALIDAR" (yellow) and "ENVIAR" (green).

Arrows from the text boxes point to:
 

- The "Check-List" section.
- The "Usuarios" section.
- The "Anexos" section.

## Verification of eligibility requirements

Consult the **GUIDE FOR CREATING USERS**:

- The Principal Partner (user "sp") can create read-only users (user "sl") so that the other partners can view the form.
- Users can be "associated" if a user with an "sl" profile has already been created in another project.
- The same user can access all the projects to which their user has been associated with the same passwords.

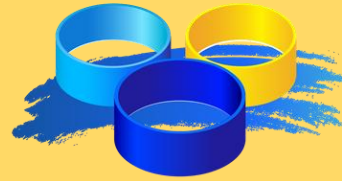
It is mandatory to include a PowerPoint (or PDF) summary of the project (maximum 10 slides).

VALIDAR

Validate the form to detect possible errors before sending.

ENVIAR

Before 15 December 2025  
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